

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Inter-Department Communication

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SUBJECT: DT 08-170 Fairpoint Communications - NNE
Tariff Revision Eliminating Talking Call Waiting

TO: Commission
Debra Howland, Executive Director

On December 19, 2008, Northern New England Telephone Operations LLC d/b/a Fairpoint Communications - NNE (Fairpoint) filed a revision to its Tariff 83 which will withdraw Talking Call Waiting. The service is being withdrawn because it is provisioned on a Verizon proprietary platform to which FairPoint will not have access after cutover on January 30, 2009. There are 634 New Hampshire subscribers to this service. A copy of the letter informing customers the service will no longer be available was attached with the filing.

Staff has reviewed the proposed withdrawal and recommends the tariff revision be allowed to go into effect pursuant to RSA 378:6, IV as filed.